Train Traffic Paraylsis Is Complete-Berlin Union Joins Walk-Out.

BERLIN, Feb. 3 (Associated Press) -Germany's railway strike, which has almost completely tied up all kinds of traffic since Wednesday midnight, became even more complete to-day when the Berlin branch of the railway union joined the ranks of the strikers this morning. It was estimated to-day that 7,000 engine driver were now striking

Passenger and freight traffic it North Germany is at a complete standstill. Undelivered mail has begun to accumulate. Postal authorities are maintaining aerial service for urgent mail and passenger purposes

Efforts to maintain the milk and food supplies for Berlin have failed The newspapers have considerably to duced their size and number of edi-

The Government's manifesto declaring the strike illegal has aggravated the situation. The Executive eration to-day adopted a resolution in favor of issuing a manifesto denying subordinate officials the right of association and demanding cancella-tion of the manifesto published by the Socialist press supporting the chairs

#### STATEN ISLAND GETS WATER DESPITE LEAK

Pressure Low but Can Be Increased in Case of Fire.

Except for a few sparsely settled high points, Staten Island was re-celving its normal water supply to-day, in spite of the break of yester-day in the 36-inch water pipe line conveying the regular supply from the Catskill watershed.

The pressure was reduced in order to conserve the supply, which now comes entirely from the Silver Lake Reservoir in Staten Island and five wells of the City Water Supply Department on the Island. In case of fire it can be increased. Divers continued work break to-day.

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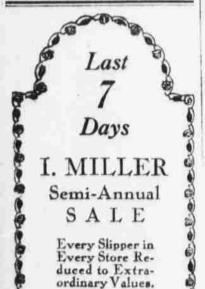
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\$100,000 IN DRUGS STOLEN IN TRANSIT

Government Agents Seek to Prevent Placing of Loot on Underworld Market.

comment narcotic agents are to-day making search for \$190,000 worth of corphine and cocaine which, stolen tere on Jan. 5, they fear will soon bethrown on the underworld market. News of the theft was revealed hen officials of a New York drug cases.

company printed advertisements here PEN SCRAMH FATAL innouncing reward for any informa on leading to recovery of the goods. The company purchased the drugs

at a sale. Barney Puro, a truckman, was hired to haul them to New York. He took them to his home, it was learned, where two men appeared, representing themselves as represen-tatives of the New York firm, and PHILADELPHIA. Feb. 3 .- Gov- said they would take the drugs themselves. No arrests have been made.

ABRAHAM C. TULLY DEAD,

TO BOY IN SCHOOL

Triffing at First, but Inflammation Sets In. Emanuel Hagler, twelve, of No. 127 Rivington Street, died in St. Mark's Hospital early yesterday of an infection resulting from the prick of a pen point received in Public School No. 160, January 24,

The scratch was not painful at Abraham C. Tully, seventy, a retired first, but last Wednesday night the merchant widely known in Northern New Jersey, died at his home in Sussex yesterday from a complication of discases.

In the last Wednesday night the arm and hand swelled and became so painful that the boy was taken to the, hospital early Thursday morning. Dr. Tilton operated Friday.

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